

## STRONG BILL FOR TODAY AT THE BUTLER

EXCELLENT AMERICAN BIO-  
GRAPH FILM WILL BE  
THE FEATURE.

The usual big crowd attended the Butler theater last night and enjoyed the usual good show. Commencing with today's matinee, their will be another entire change of program, at which time the management will show four good pictures and two illustrated songs will be sung by Miss Feldman. Mr. McGuire will render some choice selection on the violin, assisted by Miss Anderson on the piano. The following pictures will be shown: "Critical Situation," drama; "Trained Ape," animal act; "Civil War," war story; and a great American Biograph feature, film drama, entitled, "The Converts." This is an exceptionally strong bill and should be witnessed by everybody. This program is on for today only with an entire change of program for tomorrow.

## STOCK MARKET

Tonopah Mining was on the up-raise yesterday and at the close of the day's session of the San Francisco stock exchange, was quoted at

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an advance of twelve cents. The advance was due to eastern buying as that was the last day that that stock could be recorded whereby the owner could participate in the thirty-five cent dividend, that is payable on April 12. Belmont was another active security and closed at a gain of 7½ cents. The remaining stocks fell off for unaccountable reasons. Extension lost five points. West End dropped four cents. MacNamara sluffed three points. Midway was quoted at a two cent loss, while Montana lost one point.

Booth of Goldfield strengthened up and closed with a two cent gain. The following quotations are furnished by Broker H. E. Epstine:

Tonopah District.		
Tonopah Mining	\$7.50	...
Montana	.90	.91
Tonopah Ex.	.80	.82
MacNamara	.30	.31
Midway	.34	.35
Belmont	2.65	2.70
North Star	.02	.03
West End	.35	.37
Rescue	.02	.03
Jim Butler	.15	.16
Goldfield District.		
Goldfield Con.	8.15	8.30
Jumbo Ex.	.36	.37
Booth	.17	.18
Blue Bull	.05	.06
Atlanta	.15	.16
Florence	2.15	2.20
Kewanas	.07	.08
Red Hills	.04	.05
Miscellaneous.		
Pittsburg-Silver Pk.	.72	.75
Manhattan Con.	.02	.03

### FORMER TONOPAH MAN IN SHOOTING SCRAPE

The San Francisco Call yesterday contained an account of a shooting fray at Coalinga in which Dan Tredgeon shot and killed Jack Melville. The trouble was caused by an argument during which Tredgeon suddenly drew a revolver and fired. Tredgeon is well known in Tonopah, having worked here as a barber. Later he went to Manhattan where he was likewise employed. He has a brother here now working at the Montana mill.

## A BUNCH OF DONT'S TO BE OBSERVED

ALL FOOLS' DAY SHOULD BE  
OBSERVED WITH PLENTY  
OF DISCRETION.

If you should happen to notice a great big fat wallet lying on the sidewalk today, as if the owner had just dropped it, don't stop to pick it up.

If you should happen to notice a hat, probably a silk topper, standing idly in the gutter, don't step out of your way to administer a kick.

If you are summoned by phone to the office of a friend on strange but important business, don't answer the call.

If you receive a telegram with \$4.75 charges on it, don't take the dispatch.

If a friend of yours has a sign "Kick Me," on his back, don't kick.

There are a hundred and one don'ts for today and it will pay the average person to be a little bit careful, for this is All Fools day.

It is a natural supposition that the small boy will be in evidence, trying to play a joke on his elders, and it is dollars to doughnuts that he succeeds. Some of the older folk will also get into the game and with the experience of their years, it is safe to say that some poor victim will be the recipient of something that wasn't ordered.

## PERSONAL

Thomas S. Carnahan, the Liberty mining man, is in town for a brief stay.

Charles Fairchild, who is interested in the Bellehelen district,

arrived in Tonopah yesterday.

S. H. Brady, general manager of the West End, left yesterday for a short business trip to the coast.

T. K. Lynch and wife came in from Rye Patch yesterday. Mr. Lynch will leave soon for Jar-bidge.

R. P. Turretin, one of Reno's prominent residents, came down from the north yesterday on a business jaunt.

Tom C. Risch, who has been visiting Mrs. Risch at Santa Rosa, returned yesterday, accompanied by Tom Kendall, Jr.

T. F. O'Grady, a San Francisco insurance agent, arrived from the coast city yesterday and will remain here several days.

Arthur Rayercraft, who was summoned to Carson several weeks ago by the illness of his mother, returned to this city yesterday.

## Temperature Report

Yesterday's hourly temperature record at the weather bureau office was as follows:

5 a. m.	45
6 a. m.	44
7 a. m.	43
8 a. m.	46
9 a. m.	48
10 a. m.	53
11 a. m.	57
12 (noon)	60
1 p. m.	61
2 p. m.	63
3 p. m.	63
4 p. m.	64
5 p. m.	63
Highest a year ago, 57; lowest, 32.	

### THOSE WORTHLESS BONDS.

The attempt of a gang of Wall street sharks to float a lot of North Carolina bonds on an easy public will probably be frustrated. By bringing suit in the name of Nevada against the state of North Carolina the crooks who own the bonds, having acquired them at a nominal cost after the state of North Carolina had repudiated them, calculate to sell them to suckers, one of whom is said to be born every minute. A statute passed by the legislature in 1901 permits the governor to accept gifts to the state. The scoundrels who are trying to work the worthless bonds off on the state of Nevada have applied to the supreme court for a writ of mandate to compel the governor to accept them. As the bonds are utterly worthless they could hardly come under the head of a gift. The hearing on the writ of mandamus took place before the supreme court Monday.

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## HOTEL ARRIVALS

### HOTEL MANHATTAN.

L. Boswell, Deadwood, S. D.; George M. Griswell, Milwaukee; Thomas Strother, Reno; Charles A. Hawley, T. Ryan, James Ryan, E. Gardner; B. R. Kitch, New York; John M. Chess, Chicago; J. Barnett, M. Hunnewell, San Francisco; J. F. McClenan, Chicago; W. Busby, Los Angeles; Jack Lucinea, Lead, S. D.; M. Perovich, Lead, S. D.; I. Sands, Tonopah.

### MIZPAH HOTEL.

T. F. O'Grady, San Francisco; Mrs. L. J. Fogle, Mrs. W. T. Hooper, Mary Mine; Thomas S. Carnahan, Liberty; E. H. Coe, Salt Lake; Newton Crumley and wife, Oakland; Fred McL. Strout, J. W. Briggs, San Francisco; R. P. Turrittin, Reno; T. K. Lynch and wife, pump station.

### PALACE HOTEL.

C. A. Ranier, Los Angeles; Ed. Dale, Mrs. Simmons, Reno; Chas. Douchild, Bellehelen; Thomas Maxwell, Grand Junction.

### WALTER DECKER LAID TO REST BY FIREMEN

The funeral of the late Walter Decker took place Tuesday afternoon from the home of his parents on South Carson street and was one of the largest funerals that has taken place in this city for some time. The Warren Engine company turned out in full force and preceded the hearse and long line of carriages to the gates of Lone Mountain cemetery where they opened ranks and the hearse was allowed to pass through when they again formed and acted as a guard of honor to the mourners. The funeral ceremony was read by Rev. McCreery. The pall bearers were the schoolmates and friends of the deceased, being Henry Burlington, Art Maish, Harry Murray, Joseph Smyth, Charles Crippen, Charles Kitzmeyer, Herman Durst and William Muller.—Carson News.

### JUDGE PIKE RE- SERVES DECISION

The attorneys in the Lyon county court house matter argued the question of making the restraining order permanent at Reno Tuesday afternoon before Judge Pike and at the conclusion the judge took the case under advisement. His decision will be forwarded to the clerk of court at Dayton as soon as it is arrived at. It is said that the evidence showed that the county commissioners of Lyon never officially or personally sanctioned the withdrawal of the original bids, the matter never having been presented to the board officially by the clerk. The point is a technical one to determine the legal status of the contract under which Contractor King is now working.

### MINA TO HAVE

#### BASEBALL TEAM

Play ball! That is the sound that greets the ear in Mina as its echoes are wafted hither and thither on the balmy breezes of spring. Yes, Mina now has an aggregation of all star ball tossers and before the close of the season they expect to have a bunch of scalps dangling at their waste that would delight the heart of a Sioux chief. About the first victims for slaughter will be Bishop and Hawthorne, after that they will tackle Goldfield and Tonopah, and then others.—Western Nevada Miner.

### RANCH SOLD FOR \$50,000.

Patrick J. Kelly, one of the early settlers of this section of Nevada has disposed of his large ranch east of Reno near the Wedekind mines to G. B. Questa, also an old timer of this district. The price paid for the property is said to have been \$50,000 and out of the ranch Mr. Kelly reserved a small homestead on which he intends to spend the remainder of his life.

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